

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Patent Application of:

Mina Chow, et al.

Application No. 10/676,616

Filed: September 30, 2003

Examiner: Phillip A. Gray

Art Unit: 3767

Confirmation No.: 7937

For: **DEFLECTABLE CATHETER
ASSEMBLY AND METHOD OF MAKING
SAME**

PETITION TO REVIVE AN ABANDONED APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants' attorney respectfully petitions the Commissioner for Patents to revive the above-identified application under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) on the ground that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Please charge the petition fee of \$1,620.00 for unintentional abandonment in connection with a large entity to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

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In connection with the Petition, Applicants submit herewith an Amendment and Response to the Final Office Action dated April 15, 2009 along with a Request for Continued Examination.

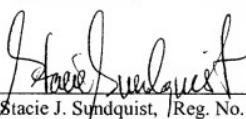
CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the Petition now revives the abandoned application and that the pending prosecution may continue.

Respectfully submitted,

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